# BROKERS.

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Heavy Trading on the Adverse Rumors from the Senate.

SUGAR MOST ACTIVE

Chicago Gas Also Figured Largely on the New York Stock Exchange-Indianapolis Grain Lower.

At New York, yesterday, money on call was easy at 1 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 31/2051/2 per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87@4.8714 for demand and at \$4.85@4.85% for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.84@4.86; commercial bills, \$4.84\4\604.84\\602. Silver certificates, 64\4\6064\\604. Bar silver closed at 63%c per ounce; at

London, 291/4d. Total sales of stocks amounted to 228,900 shares. Yesterday was a field day on the Stock Exchange for the Sugar shares, the trading in which was on a very large scale. The influences bearing on this mercurial property were all of a depressing nature. The failure to hold the annual meeting yesterday on adjournment from last month and the statement of the counsel for the company that a minority of the stock had a legal right to adjourn the meeting, created a situation which was not regarded as favorable by certain stockholders, and which was taken advantage of by the short interests to hammer the shares. Advices from Washington were adverse to the sugar interests, it being reported that the Senate subcommittee had agreed to report in favor of free sugar, both raw and refined. In view of these conditions, it was not unnatural that Sugar should be sharply pressed for sale, or that considerable long stock should be brought out. The selling movement began at the opening of business, and large blocks were thrown on a shares were disposed of before noon and a decline of 31% per cent. estab-This serious break brought in buyers in the belief that insome siders might endeavor to squeeze the short interests, and there were orders from Washington to cover sales made at the higher figures of yesterday, which combined to bring about a recovery of 11/4 per cent., but in the later dealings % of the Improvement was lost and at the close the tendency was still downward. Sugar preferred recorded a decline of 21/2 per cent., closing at the lowest point touched. Mayor Hopkins's veto of the Watson gas ordinance and the failure of the Chicago Common Council to override it, together with the defeat of the resolution to forfeit the charter of the Gas Trust, gave material strength to the speculation in Chicago Gas in the opening dealings, when on purchases of 2,000 shares the stock moved up 21/4 per cent. The buying developed such a ready supply of stock for sale that the traders grew suspicious, and, taking the other side of the market, put quotations down 1½ per cent. within a very few minutes. Thereafter the trading was very light in the shares. Small buying caused a rally of a fraction, which was subsequently lost. The uncertainty as to the rate of dividend to be declared at to-morrow's meeting of directors gave an unsettled tone to the dealings in Burlington. The coal shares were weak owing to the failure of the coal sales agents to arrive at a decision regarding prices and Delaware, Lackawanna & West-ern broke 2½ and Delaware & Hudson 1½ per cent. In the rest of the day's transactions Distilling, Reading and Western Union were the only stocks in which the transactions exceeded 3,000 shares, and in all

firm and at the close was steady to firm, Sugar being the only really heavy stock in closing dealings. The bond market was firm throughout the day. Government bonds were strong. State bonds were duil. The following table, prepared by James E. Berry, Room 16, Board of Trade, shows the

three the fluctuations were slight and the

closing figures in each case were changed only 1/8 from Wednesday's final sales. The

general market at the opening was quite

range of quotations: Open- High- Low- Closing. est. est. ing. Adams Express..... 150 Canada Pacific...... 50 50 50 L. E. & W., pref. 62

Lake Shore. 126½ 126½ 126½ 126½

Lead Trust. 293% 293% 293% 293%

Lead Trust, pref. 75 75 75 75

Louisville & Nash. 45¾ 46½ 45¾ 46½ Louis. & N. A..... ..... 120% Michigan Central.... 22% 22½ 22¼ National Cordage..... ..... National Cord., pref., .... 32 Northern Pacific..... 17% 17% 17% 17% Northwestern ...... 10178 10218 10134 10134 Northwestern, pref... .... 139 Pullman Palace...... 21% 22 21% 21% 21% Rock Island...... 66 66 6514 St. Paul...... 5614 5614 5558 St. Paul, pref. ..... 814 814 77% 78% S. Express..... W., St. L. & P...... .... .... W., St. L. & P., pref. ..... Wells-Fargo Express. .... 122 Western Union...... 83½ 83% 83½ 83½ S. Fours, reg..... 1133 U. S. Fours, coup.... 113%

At New Orleans-Clearings, \$1,157,384. Chicago-Clearings, \$13,345,000, New York exchange, 30c premium. Sterling exchange dull and steady. Actual for sixty days, \$4.85\\\2012; demand, \$4.87\\\2012. Interest rates at most of the banks are 405 per cent. on call and 5@6 per cent. on time. At St. Louis-Clearings, \$8,133,816; balances, \$453,650. Money dull at 627 per cent. Exchange on New York, 60c premium. At New York-Clearings, \$71,545,928; balances, \$5,636,622. At Boston-Clearings, \$10,347,978; balances, At Philadelphia-Clearings, \$3,100,000; balances, \$1,402,867. At Baltimore-Clearings, \$2,061,427; bal-CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.-Clearings, \$2,326,-

Yesterday's Bank Clearings.

### LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Trade a Little Better on the Wholesale Streets, and Values Stendy. On the wholesale streets yesterday trade was more active than on any preceding day of this week. While steady prices were more noticeable, sugars and coffees are much steadier in tone than last week, with an active demand. Canned goods and dried fruits continue to move freely. With the dry goods houses trade is rather slow, with easy prices a leading feature. Receipts of eggs and poultry are lighter than for some weeks past and firm prices rule, with a tendency to further advance. Grocers are paying 2 to 3 cents more per dozen than shippers. Oranges are arriving more freely and prices easier. The stock of apples is seldom as low in May as at the present time and never before commanded higher prices. In vegetables low prices rule. The hide market is featureless. Druggists report

noticeable with the hardware men and iron The local grain market is a little more active. Wheat, however, is still dropping. Several grades of corn advanced 46c over Wednesday's bids. Track bids ruled as fol-Wheat-No. 2 red, 54c; No. 3 red, 54c; rejected, 40@50c; wagon, 52c. Corn-No. 1 white, 35c; No. 2 white, 35c;

a better trade and some improvement is

The Indianapolis Commission Co | white mixed, 34c; No. 4 white mixed, 39c; No. 2 yellow, 344c; No. 3 yellow, 34c; No. 4 yellow, 30c; No. 2 mixed, 34c; No. 3 mixed, 33%c; No. 4 mixed, 30c; ear corn, 35c. Oats-No. 2 white. 314e; No. 3 white, 304c No. 2 mixed, 34c; No. 3 mixed, 28c; rejected, Hay-Choice timothy, \$11.25; No. 1, \$11; No. 2, \$9; No. 1 prairie, \$6.50; mixed, \$8; clover, \$7.50008 per ton.

Rye-No. 2, 45c for car lots; 40c for wagon

Bran, \$13.

(Prices Paid by Shippers.) Poultry-Hens, 6½c per lb; young chickens, 6½c per lb; turkeys, old toms, 4c per lb; hens, 7c per lb; fancy fat young tom turkeys, 5c; poor, 4c; ducks, 6½c per lb; geese, \$4.20@4.80 per doz for choice. Eggs-Shippers paying 14c. Butter-Extra, 11c; mixed, 8@10c.

Honey-New, 16@18c. Feathers-Prime geese, 40c per th; mixed duck, 20c per lb. Beeswax-20c for yellow; 15c for dark. Wooi-Unwashed medium wool, 15c; unwashed coarse or braid, 13@15c; unwashed fine merino, 10@13c; tub-washed, 18@20c; burry and cotted wool, 5c to 10c less than

above prices. RAW FURS Following is the price list for central and northern Indiana and Ohio for prime skins: Extra coon, \$162; large coon, 80c; medium coon, 60c; small coon, 40c; large mink, \$1.10; medium mink, Soc; small mink, 60c; black skunk, \$1.30; half stripe skunk, 80c; narrow stripe skunk, 40c; broad stripe skunk, 20c; opossum, 5@25c; rat, 3@13c; red fox, 50%

\$1.25; grey fox, 40@65c; otter, \$3@8; Kentucky skins, 10@20 per cent. lower than prices quoted above. HIDES, TALLOW, ETC. Hides—No. 1 green hides, 2½c; No. 1 G. S. hides, 3½c; No. 2 G. S hides, 2½c; No. 1 calf hides, 5c; No. 2 calf hides, 3½c.
Tallow—No. 1 tallow, 4¾c; No. 2 tal-Grease - White, 41/2c; yellow, 31/4c; brown, 3c. Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

#### THE JOBBING TRADE.

(The quotations given below are the selling prices of wholesale dealers.)

Canned Goods. Peaches-Standard, 3-pound, \$1.85@2: 3pound seconds, \$1.30@1.40; 2-pound pie, 90@ 95e; California standard, \$2.25@2.50; California seconds, \$1.85@2. Miscellaneous—Blackberries, 2-pound, 90@95c; raspberries, 2-pound, \$1.20@1.25; pineapple standard. 2-pound, \$1.25@1.35; choice, \$2@2.25; cove oysters, 1-pound, full weight, 95c@\$1; light. 65@70c; 2-pound full, \$1.80@1.90; light, \$1.10@ 1.20; string beans, 85@5c; Lima beans, \$1.10 @1.30; peas, marrowfat, \$1.16@1.20; early June, \$1.25@1.50; lobsters, \$1.85@2; red cher-ries, \$1.20@1.25; strawberries, \$1.20@4.30; sal-mon (lbs), \$1.45@2.20; 3-pound tomatoes, \$1.15

Candies and Nuts. Candies—Stick, 6½c per lb; common mixed, 6½c; G. A. R. mixed, 7½c; Banner mixed, 10c; cream mixed, 10c; old-time mixed, 7½c. Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 18c; English walnuts, 15c; Brazil nuts, 12c; filberts, 11c; peanuts, roasted, 7@8c; mixed nuts, 14c.

Coal and Coke. Anthracite coal, all sizes, \$7.50 per ton; Pittsburg and Raymond City, \$4.25 per ton; Jackson, \$4.25; block, \$3.25; Island City, \$3; Blossburg and English cannel, \$5. All nut coals 50c below above quotations. Coke - Connellsville, \$3.75 per load; crushed, \$3.25 per load; lump, \$3 per load.

Dried Fruits. Figs-Layer, 14@15c per 1b.
Peaches-Common sun-dried, 6½@7c per
1b; common evaporated, 10@11c; California, choice, 11½@12c; California fancy, 12½@13c.
Apricots-Evaporated, 16@18c.

Prunes-California, 7@12c per lb. Currants-31/2@4c per lb. Raisins-Loose Muscatel, \$1.25@1.35 per box; London layer, \$1.35@1.45 per box; Valencia, 8@81/2c per lb; layer, 9@10c.

Drugs.

Alcohol, \$2.20@2.40; asafetida, 34c; alum, 405c; camphor, 60@65c; cochineal, 50@55c chloroform, 60@65c; copperas, bris, 85c@\$1; cream tartar, pure, 26@28c; indigo, 80@90c; licorice, Calab., genuine, 30@45c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@35c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.45; madder, 16@18c; oil, castor, per gal, \$1.28@1.30; oil, bergamot, per 15 \$3.25; opium, \$2.90; quinine, P. & W., per oz, 32@ 37c; balsam copaiba, 60@65c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda, blearb., 412@6c; salts, Epsom, 405c; sulphur, flour, 506c; saltpeter, 8020c; turpentine, 36040c; glycerine, 16020c; iodide potassium, \$3@3.10; bromide potassium, 40@45c; chlorate potash, 20c; borax, 12@14e; cinchonidia, 12@15e; garbolic acid,

Oils-Linseed, 49@52c per gal; coal oil, legal test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador, 60c; West Virginia lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 45c. Lard oils-Winter strained in barrels, 75c per gal; in half barrels, 3c per gal extra.

Dry Goods. Bleached Sheetings—Androscoggin L, 6½c; Berkeley, No. 60, 9c; Cabot, 6¾c; Capital, 6c; Cumberland, 7¼c; Dwight Anchor, 7¾c; Fruit of Loom, 8c; Farwell, 7c; Fitchville, 6½c; Full Width, 5½c; Gilt Edge, 5½c; Gilded Age, 7c; Hill, 7c; Hope, 5½c; Linwood, 7½c; Lonsdale, 7½c; Lonsdale Cambric, 10c; Masonville, 7½c; Peabody, 5¾c; Pride of the West, 11½c; Quinebaugh, 6½c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 6c; Star of the Nation, 6c; Ten Strike, 6c Pepperell, 9-4, 18c; Pepperell 10-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 201/2c; Androscoggin, 10-4,

22½c.

Brown Sheetings—Atlantic A, 5½c; Argyle, 6c; Boott C, 4½c; Buck's Head, 6½c; Clifton CCC, 5½c; Constitution, 40-inch, 7½c; Carlisle, 40-inch, 7c; Dwight, Star, 7½c; Great Falls E, 6c; Great Falls J, 5c; Hill Fine, 7c; Indian Head, 6½c; Lawrence LL, 4¾c; Lockwood B, 5½c; Pepperell R, 5¾c; Pepperell E, 6¼c; Pepperell R, 5¾c; Pepperell, 9-4, 16c; Pepperell, 10-4, 18c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 18½c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20½c.

Prints—Allen dress styles, 5½c; Allen's staples, 5c; Allen TR, 5¼c; American robes, 5½c; Arnold LCB, 8½c; Arnold Gold Seal, 10c; Cocheco fancy, 5c; Cocheco madders, 4¾c; Hamilton fancy, 5e; Cocheco madders, 4%c; Hamilton fancy, 5%c; Manchester fancy, 5%c; Merrimac fancy, 5%c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 6c; Pacific fancy, 5½c; Pacific robes, 6c; Pacific mourning, 5½c; Simpson Eddystone, 5½c; Simpson Berlin solids, 5½c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Simpson's grays, Simpson's for mish, 6c, Simpson's grays, 5½c; Simpson's mournings, 5½c.

Ginghams—Amoskeag staples, 5¾c; Amoskeag Persian Dress, 6½c; Bates Warwick Dress, 6½c; Johnson BF Francies, 8½c; Lancaster, 5¾c; Lancaster Normandies, 6½c; Carrelon, 4¾c; Renfrow Dress, 71/a; White Carrolton, 4%c; Renfrew Dress, 7½c; Whittenton Heather, 6½c; Calcutta Dress Styles, Prime Cambrics-Manville, 4%c; S. S. &

Son's, 4½c; Masonville, 4¼c; Garner, 4¾c. Kidfinished Cambrics—Edwards, 4c; Warren, 3%c; Slater, 3%c; Genesee, 4c Tickings—Amoskeag. ACA, 12½c; Conestoga, BF, 13½c; Cordis, 140, 13½c; Cordis, FT, 12½c; Cordis, ACE, 12½c; Hamilton, awning, 10c; Kimono Fancy, 17c; Lenox Fancy, 10½c; Metheun, AA, 12c; Oakland, AF, 7c; Portsmouth, 11½c; Susquenanna, 13½c; Shetucket SW, 7½c, Shetucket F, 8c; Swift River, 5½c. Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$13.50; American, \$13.50; Franklinville, \$16.50; Harmony, \$13.50;

Stark, \$17.50.

Sugars—Hard sugars, 4%@7%c; confectioners' A, 44@4%c; off A, 4%@4%c; A, 4%@4%c; extra C, 34@44%c; yellow C, 34@3%c; dark yellow, 3%@3%c. Coffee-Good, 201/@21c; prime, 22@23c; strictly prime, 24@26c; fancy green and yellow, 28727c; ordinary Java, 29730c; old government Java, 32@33c; roasted, 1-pound packages, 24c. Molasses and Syrups-New Orleans molasses, fair to prime, 30@40c; choice, 40@ 45e; syrups, 20/2/25c. Rice - Louisiana, 4@54c; Carolina, 44@ Honey-New York stock, 1-pound sections, 16618c per 1b. Beans-Choice hand-picked navy, \$2@2.10 per bu; medium hand-picked, \$1.90@2; limas, California, 4c per 1b. Spices-Pepper, 16@18c; allspice, 12@15c; cloves, 20@25c; cassia, 10@12c; nutmegs, 70@ Suc per 1b Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per tb; wool, 8@10c; flax, 20@30c; paper, 15c; jute, 12@15c; cot-

Salt-In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@ Shot-\$1.30@1.35 per bag for drop. Lead-7@71 oc for pressed bars. Wooden Dishes-No. 1, per 1,000, \$2.20; No. 2, \$2.50; No. 3, \$2.80; No. 5, \$3.50. Extra charge for printing.

Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; % brl, \$8; ¼ brl, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16, \$6.50; ½, \$10; ½, \$20; No. 1 cream, plain, 1-32, per 1,000, \$7; 1-16, \$8.75; ½, \$14.50; ½, Woodenware-No. 1 tubs, \$6.50@7; No. 2 tubs, \$5.50@6; No. 3 tubs, \$4.50@5; 3-hoop pails, \$1.60@1.65; 2-hoop pails, \$1.25@1.40; double washboards, \$2.25@2.75; common washboards, \$1.50@1.85; clothes pins, 50@85c

Straight grades, \$2.50@2.75; fancy grades, \$2.75@3; patent flour, \$3.25@3.75; low grades,

Iron and Steel. Bar iron, 1.70@1.80c; horseshoe bar, 2%@ 3e; nail rod, 6e; plow slabs, 3e; American

cast steel, 9c; tire steel, 2%@3c; spring steel, Leather. Leather-Oak sole, 28@38c; hemlock sole,

22/028e; harness, 26/038c; skirting, 31/032e

single strap, 41c; black bridle, per doz, \$60

@95; fair bridle, \$60@78 per doz; city kip, 55@75c; French kip. 85c@\$1.10; city calfskins, 85c@\$1; French calfskins, \$1701.80.

Oil Cake. Ofl cake, \$25.25 per ton; oil meal, \$25.25. Nails and Horseshoes. Steel cut nails, \$1.30; wire nails, \$1.60 rates;

horseshoes, per keg. \$4; mule shoes, per keg. \$5; horse nails, \$435. Produce, Fruits and Vegetables.

Greenings, No. 1, \$6@6.50; No. 2, \$4.25@4.50 per brl.

Brocoli or Kale-90c@\$1 per brl. Cranberries-Cape Cod, \$6.50@7.50 per brl; Jersey, \$5.50@6 per brl. Cabbage-\$1.75@2 per brl, according to Sweet Potatoes-Eastern Jerseys, \$3.75@4; Cobden, \$3.50. Onions-75@85c per bu or \$2@2.25 per brl. Grapes-Malaga, \$566 per keg, according

Potatoes-\$1.75@2 per brl; from car, 55@ 60c; from store, 60@65c. Florida Pineapples-Medium, \$1@1.50 per doz; extra size, 33. Bananas—\$1.25@1.75 per bunch. according to size and quality.

Lemons-Choice, \$3.75 per box, fancy, \$4.75.

Cheese-New York full cream, 12@14c;

skims, 5@7c per 1b. Florida Oranges-\$2.25@2.75 per box, according to size and quality; California navel, \$2.50@3 per box. Cider-Duffy brand, 32-gal brl, 85; 16-gal Sauer Kraut-\$5@5.50 per brl; \$3 per half Onion Sets-White, 34.50; red and yellow,

Provisions.

\$3.50 per bu.

Bacon-Clear sides, 50 lbs average, 9c; 30 to 40 lbs average, 9½c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 10½c; clear bellies, 18 to 20 lbs average, 9c; 16 lbs average, 9½c; 12 lbs average, 10½c; clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 9½c; 12 to 20 lbs average, 9%c; light, 9 lbs aver-Shoulders-English cured, 12 lbs average, 91/2c; 16 lbs average, 81/4c. California Hams-Sugar-cured, 10 to 12 lbs Hams-Sugar-cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 10½@10%c; 15 lbs average, 11%c; 12% lbs average, 11%c; 10 lbs average, 12%c; block hams, 10@10%c.

Boneless Hams-Sugar-cured, 9c. Pickled Pork-Bean pork, clear, per brl, 200 lbs, \$18; family pork, \$16; rump pork, \$14 per brl. Breakfast Bacon-Clear, English-cured, Lard-Kettle-rendered, in tierces, 91/2c; In-

Clover—Choice recleaned, 60-lb bu, \$4.75@ 5; prime, \$4.50@4.75; English choice, \$4.75@ 5; prime, \$4.50@5; Alsike, choice, \$7.50@8; Alfalfa, choice, \$5.10@5.35. Timothy—45-lb bu, choice, \$2@2.15; strictly prime, 1.85@2. Bluegrass—Fancy, 14-lb bu, \$1.15@1.20; extra clean, 85@90c. Orchard grass-Extra, \$1.65@ 1.75. Red top—Choice, 50%60c; extra clean, 38%40c. English bluegrass, 24-lb bu, \$2.40@ 2.50.

Tinners' Supplies. Best brand charcoal tin IC, 10x14, 14x20, 12x12, \$7@7.50; IX, 10x14, 14x20 and 12x12, \$90 9.50; IC. 14x20, roofing tin, 86@6.50; IC, 20x28, \$12@12.50; block tin, in pigs, 25c; in bars, 27c. Iron—27 B iron, 3c; C iron, 4c; galvanized, 70 per cent. discount. Sheet zinc, 5%@6c Copper, bottoms, 20c. Planished copper, 24c. Solder, 15@16c.

#### REAL-ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Twelve Transfers Yesterday, with a Total Consideration of \$17,350. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., Feb. 15, 1894, as furnished by Elliott & But-

ler, abstracters of titles, Hartford Block, No. 84 East Market street. Eliza J. Knight to Thomas J. McKelvey, lot 46, in Long & Harlan's Pleasant-avenue addition.... Catherine Young to Elijah W. Knapp, lots 18, 19 and 20, in spuare 6, in Beaty's addition..... Louis J. Metzger, trustee, to Ernst William Bloemker, lots 102, 103, 104, 105 and 10 to 13, in Metzger's East Michigan-street addition..... 1,400.00 Ernst Bloemker to Albert E. Metzger, trustee, lot 21, in block 2, in Barth's heirs' addition...... 2,000.00 William Regan to Robert G. Harrison, lot 59, in Robbins & Hub-bard's Hill Place addition........ 1,500.00 Emma C. Hardy to same, lot 60, James C. Haunbum to William H. Ream, lot 46, in Willard Place .... Virginia A. Leachman to Joshua M. Hawk, part of the north half of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 11, township 14,

John Marion to Mary E. Lott, lot 60, in Bates's subdivision of outlot 90 ..... August Erbrich to Edward L. Murphy and wife, part of outlot 104.... 4,000.00 Mary R. Post to William A. Bristor, lot 54, in Ferguson's Hall place addition..... 3,000.00

Transfers, 12; consideration.....\$17,350.00 DEAD EIGHT HOURS.

Yet the Heart of a New York Newsboy Continued to Beat. New York Herald. Manhattan Hospital had a case yesterday

which breaks all medical records of a similar sort in this country. It is that of a boy who apparently died at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, but whose heart was still beating strongly at 10 o'clock last night. At that hour it was eight and one-half hours after he had drawn his last breath. This is several hours beyond any record in such cases. In one case in medical annals life was prolonged a few hours after respiration had ceased, but that case stands almost alone. The patient who has puzzled all the resident and consulting physicians of the Manhattan Hospital is William Holland, a newsboy, sixteen years old, who lived with his widowed mother, Mrs. Virginia Holland, at No. 516 West One-hundred-and-fifty-ninth street. He was out selling papers on Friday night, as usual, and got thoroughly wet. but that was nothing unusual, and he went home, had his supper and went to bed feeling as well as usual. He woke Saturday morning about 2 o'clock and complained to his mother of having severe pains in his neck and in the back of his head. She procured some simple remedies and did what she could for him, but he tossed restlessly the rest of the night and in the morning was very feverish. As he did not get better during the day his mother sent for a physician, condition still remained about the same until yesterday morning, when he became suddenly worse, and a call was sent to the Manhattan Hospital for an ambulance. Dr. Belknap went with the ambulance and found the boy quite ill and apparently suffering from pneumonia. However, the boy declined to lie down in the ambulance, and sat up and chatted with the doctor during the journey to the hospital. They reached the hospital at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and the boy was taken up stairs and put to bed. Not ten minutes later he suddenly gasped and apparently died. The orderly in the room ran to Dr. Belknap and announced the sudden death and the doctor hastened to the bedside. When he arrived the boy was apparently dead. Nothing indicated at first sight that he differed in any particular from any dead person. Dr. Belknap at once began an examination, and at once discovered that although the boy had apparently died there was still a feeble pulsation of the heart. Restoratives were applied and artificial respiration produced by working the arms, just as is done in cases of those who have been nearly drowned. The result of these efforts was soon apparent. The heart beats grew stronger and

the color of the face changed from the hue of death to one which plainly indicated that life was still flowing in vein and ar-But still the body lay inert except for the beating of the heart. Not a breath could be detected by the most careful test. Indeed, repeated trials showed that whatever of life lay in the body was in the mysterous beating of the heart unaccompanied by natural respiration. When artificial respiration had been continued for some time it was intermitted for a moment to show whether it would be naturally continued, but at once the face became black and the heart throbs died away so fast that artificial respiration was at once resumed.

The case showed such remarkable features that Dr. Belknap sent for Drs. Baruch and Wilkie, the attending physicians of the hospital, and they came promptly and lent their closest attention to They, however, could no more solve the mystery of this death in life than could the physicians already in attendance. Hour was added to hour, and still the heart beat on in response to the artificial respiration. Again and again the experiment of stopping the steady working of the arms was tried, but each time the result was a rapid relapse and the work was resumed. The boy had lived hours longer than any one had ever kept this side of the border line of two worlds under similar circumstances at 10 o'clock, and at fifteen minutes after 11 he was still living. A peculiarity of the case is that the boy's heart seems to be upon the right side instead of the left. The case puzzles the doctors in more ways than one. The boy has apparently died, yet lives. He apparently died, but what caused his death? Dr. Belknap made no more than a casual examination as he rode to the hospital with the patient, and the death-if death it can be called-took place almost as soon as the boy had been put to bed at the hospital. None of the physicians who have seen the boy feels ready to name his

medical science. Speaking of the Good Friday Break. Washington Post. When it comes to the ecclesiastical sec-No. 3 white, 34½c; for one color, 34½c; Produce, Fruits and Vegetables. tion of the new tariff bill we trust Senator for grade; No. 2 white mixed, 34½c; No. 3 Apples—Northern Spies, \$7; Baldwins and Voorhees will ring for assistance.

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which has been seen at Manhattan Hospi-

tal, in this city, or has been recorded as oc-

curring anywhere within the knowledge of

### NO BOTTOM TO WHEAT

May Touched 58 3-8c Yesterday and Closed 1-8c Higher.

There Was a Flood of Selling Orders from the East, and London Cables Reported Lower Prices Abroad.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15 .- May wheat sold at 58%c to-day. Wheat was generally weak all day and closed but 1/3c from the bottom at 581/2c, with a loss since yesterday of 1%c as a result of heavy sales. New York pressed the selling and general bearish news did the rest, lower cables, larger receipts, mild weather and light export clearances all adding to the weakness. Corn and oats responded reluctantly to the break in wheat. Corn lost %c and oats 4c. Provisions were irregular, but in the end showed no change compared with yesterday's closing prices.

Wheat was very weak at the opening and

continued so during the forenoon. Within an hour and a half from the start May wheat, which closed yesterday at 601/4c, had declined to 5914c, with one sale as low as 59%c. The chief reason for the decline was the disappointing weakness of the Liverpool market, the strength reported from which on the previous day had been the main cause of the advance which took place here. The receipts were fairly liberal and export clarances light, and it was said that nearly every prominent exporting house in New York had selling orders in the hands of their Chicago brokers. The opening price to-day for May wheat was anywhere from 59% to 60% and it sold at 59% before 11 o'clock. The Liverpool cables reported the weather in England mild and holders of wheat were disposed to sell at 1/2d decline. New York wired that May wheat there would have to decline from 14c to 15c to permit of the working of to-day's foreign buying orders. Other dispatches from New York confirmed the later very bearish outlook. New York piled long and short wheat on the heads of the people here in such quantities that after a recovery from 59%c to 591%c it broke again, and on the second occasion it broke so badly that the previous lowest price appeared high in comparison. broker, sold heavily, his sales be ing said to amount to 750,000 bushels and May closed but 1sc from the bottom. May opened at 60%c, declined 1c, rallied %c, lost there was a fair trade early in corn.

Whiland buying about 350,000 bu, which was the only noteworthy feature all day. The market as the day advanced became very dull and the range for the entire session was limited to 1/20%c. Opening trades were at yesterday's final figures, and the filling of the order above mentioned held the price steady for awhile, but when wheat turned down the offerings increased and prices receded %@%c, rallied %@%c, de-clined %@%c, and closed with May at the day's bottom figures. In oats there was a fair trade and a weaker feeling, with a decline of 1/2%c. Long stuff came out more freely and buyers were not very numerous. The decline in wheat and corn also had considerable effect. May opened unchanged at 29½c, and after advancing ½c declined %c, and closed at the bottom. With the run of live hogs at the yards about 14,000 in excess of the estimates and lower prices for them, provisions opened weak and lower. With good support from the packers a reaction set in and the loss was more than recovered. There was a lit-tle covering by shorts and this helped to sustain prices. For a time the weakness in wheat had no apparent effect on the market, while the activity at the yards and slightly higher prices for the better grade

of hogs contributed to the strength, but toward the close it sold off to near yesterday's final figures on the break in wheat, a weak feeling prevailing except for ribs. Closing prices were about midway between the top and bottom figures of the day. Compared with last night May pork, May ard and May ribs are unchanged. Estimated receipts for to-morrow are: Wheat, 60 cars; corn, 315 cars; oats, 80 cars; hogs, 30,000 head. Leading futures

ranged as follows: Open- High- Low- Clos-Articles. est. Wheat-Feb .... 54% 58% May ..... July ..... 34% 371% 3734 27% 2958 27% Corn-Feb ..... May ..... July ..... Oats-Feb ..... May ..... July ..... Pork—Feb .....\$11.90 \$12.25 \$11.871/2 May .....\$11.90 7.20 Lard—Feb ..... 7.22½ 7.30 March ... 7.12½ 7.17½ May .... 7.05 7.17½ July .... 6.95 7.05 7.05 Ribs-Feb ..... 6.12½ 6.20 May .... 6.20 6.32½ Cash quotations were as follows: Flour Cash quotations were as follows: Flour weak. No. 2 spring wheat, 55c; No. 3 spring wheat, 58½c; No. 2 red, 55c. No. 2 corn, 34c. No. 2 oats, 28c; No. 2 white, 30¾631c; No. 3 white, 29½630¼c. No. 2 rye, 43½c. No. 2 barley, nominal; No. 3, 44652c; No. 4, 40646c. No. 1 flaxseed, \$1.39½. Prime timothy seed, \$4.1064.15. Mess pork, per bri, \$11.95611.97½. Lard, per fb. 7.27½67.30c. Short-rib sides (loose), 6.22½66.27½. Drysalted shoulders (boxed), 6.2566.50c. Short-clear sides (boxed), 6.7567.12½c. Whisky clear sides (boxed), 6.75@7.121/2c. Whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, \$1.17 Sugars-Cut-loaf, 5.44c; granulated, 4.68c; standard A, 4.55c. On the Produce Exchange, to-day, the

Eggs firm; strictly fresh, 171/2c. Receipts-Flour, 8,000 brls; wheat, 18,000 bu; corn, 18,000 bu; oats, 55,000 bu; barley, 18,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 2,000 bu; wheat, 6,000 bu; corn, 31,000 bu; oats, 60,000 bu; bar-AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Sea-

butter market was quiet and unchanged.

board's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, Feb. 15.-Flour-Receipts, 11,100 brls; exports, 6,800 brls; sales, 9,000 packages. The market was weak and lower to sell. Business restricted by weakness in wheat. Southern flour dull. Rye flour quiet. Buckwheat flour nominal at \$2.25@ 2.40. Buckwheat dull. Corn meal dull; yellow Western, \$2.50@2.70. Rye dull. Barley quiet; No. 2 Milwaukee, 62c; two-rowed State, 62@64c. Barley malt dull; Western,

65@80c; six-rowed, 68@83c. Wheat-Receipts, 1,300 bu; sales, 10,770,000 bu futures, 160,000 bu spot. Spots were weak and lower; No. 2 red, in store and elevator. 601/e; afloat, 62c; f. o. b., 621/e; No. 1 Northern, 64%c. Options were fairly active and weaker this morning under weak cables and local liquidation, but turned very weak during the afternoon under forced liquidation, which broke prices to the lowest point on record. The close was at 1%c net decline; No. 2 red, February, closed at 60%c; March, 60%@621/2c, closing at 61c; May, 63 3-16@64%c, closing at 63%c; July, 65%@ 66 11-16c, closing at 651/2c; August, 66% acre, closing at 66%c; September closed at 67%c; December, 704/6/70%c, closing at 70%c. Corn-Exports, 79,400 bu; sales, 484,000 bu futures, 42,000 bu spot. Spots were weaker; No. 2, 421/2c nominal in elevator, 431/2@435/2c afloat. The option market was steady early, but later sold off sharply with wheat and closed at 1/20% net decline; February closed at 42%c; March, 421/2042%c, closing at 421/20; April closed at 420, May, 421/20 43%c, closing at 42%c; July, 43%@43%c; clos-Oats-Exports, 100 bu; sales, 80,000 bu

futures, 12,000 bu spot. Spots were dull but firm; No. 2, 364@37c; No. 2, delivered, 374c; No. 3, 354c; No. 2 white, 374@374c; No. 3 white, 351/2c; track mixed Western, 361/46 371/2c; track white Western, 38/242c; track white State, 38@42c. Options easy all day, although not so depressed as the other markets, closing unchanged to %c lower; February, 35%@35%c, closing at 35%c; May, 33%@34%c, closing at 33%c. Hay quiet. Hops dull. Hides dull. Leather steady.

Beef quiet. Cut meats steady; pickled bellies, 74,07%c; pickled hams, 94c. Lard steady; Western steam closed at 7.90c; sales, 400 tierces at 7.90@7.95c; February closed at 7.75c, nominal; March closed at 7.65c, nominal; May, 7.50c, nominal; refined quiet; compound, 644642c. Pork was quiet and easier; new mess, \$13.50@14; extra prime, \$13@13.25; family, \$15;

short clear, \$14.50@16.50. Butter quiet; Western dairy, 131/2017c; Western creamery, 18027c; Western factory, 120/16c; Elgin, 27c; State dairy, 16021c; State creamery, 16@20c. Cheese fairly active; large, State, 9@11%c 1016@1278c; part skims, 4@10c; full skims, 20144c.

Eggs steady; icehouse \$2.75@3.50 per case; fresh Western, 194c; Southern, 1842204c; receipts, 4,104 packages. Tallow dull and weak; city (\$2 for packages), 474@5c; country (packages free), 5

Cotton seed oil inactive; transactions con-

grades, 25@27c; prime summer white, 27@28c. Coffee-Options opened dull at 5@15 points lower, ruled exceptionally dull and showed weak undertone throughout the session under favorable European advices, closing dull at 5015 points net decline; sales, 5,000 bags, including: March, 15.60c; May, 15.15c; September, 14.50015c; October, 13.85c. Spot Rio dull; No. 7, 17017%c; mild dull and heavy; Cordova, 19%019%c; sales, late yesterday, 500 bags low grade Rio at 161%c and to-day 280 bags Central American p. t. Sugar-Raw firm and unchanged; fair refining, 2%@2 15-16c; refined quiet but steady. TRADE IN GENERAL.

# Quotations at St. Louis, Philadelphia.

Baltimore and Other Points. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 15 .- Flour easier: patents, \$2.85@2.95; extra fancy, \$2.50@2.60; others unchanged. Wheat weak, losing 134c; No. 2 red, cash, 5234c; February, 5234c; May, 5514c; July, 5714c. Corn weaker, losing 14c; No. 2 mixed, cash and February, 33c; March, 3314c; May, 3334c; July, 3458c. Oats weak; No. 2 cash, 29c; February, 2834c; May, 2934c. Rye and barley—Nothing doing. Bran firm at 65c, east track. Flaxseed, \$1.32. Clover seed firm and quiet at \$7@7.80. Hay easier; prime to choice timothy, \$9@10. Butter unprime to choice timothy, \$9@10. Butter un-changed. Eggs weaker at 17½c. Corn meal, \$1.70@1.75. Whisky, \$1.15. Bagging and cotton ties unchanged. Provisions easy, with little doing. Receipts-Flour, 3,000 brls; wheat, 5,000 bu; corn, 130,000 bu; oats, 18,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 7,000 brls; wheat, 2,-

600 bu; corn, 66,000 bu; oats, 5,000 bu. MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 15 .- Receipts of wheat to-day were 200 cars, with 85 cars shipped. Close: February, 5514c; May, 553,465512c; July, 57c; on track: hard, 584c; No. 1 Northern, 564c; No. 2 Northern, 544c; track wheat brought all day from 14 to 1/2c above the May price. The break of 11/2c during the day was followed by a break of 1/6c on the curb. Elevator people who have stocks of wheat in the country elevators were again selling to arrive, owing to the large premium of 14@14c above the May price for track deliveres. Flour mills are less than half in operation and grinding 8,000 bris daily. Sales of patents were reported from \$3.25 to \$3.35, although it was said that considerable is held above that. Bakers sales were re-ported from \$1.70 to \$1.80.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.-Flour weak. Wheat declined 1@11/4c per bushel; No. 3 red, 58c; No. 2 red, 60c; No. 2 Delaware red, 611/2c; No. 2 Pennsylvania red, 611/2c; February, 60c; March, 60%c; April, 61%c; May, 62%c. Corn dull; prices were 1/10%c lower; Febrary, 42c; March, 424c; April, 424c; May, 425c; sales of No. 2 yellow at 45c. Oats quiet; February, 38c; March, 36c; April, 36½c; May, 36¾c; sales of ungraded white at 36c; No. 2 white, 36½c. Butter weak; fancy Western creamery, 27c; Pennsylvania prints, 28c; jobbing, 29@32c. Eggs weak and lower; fresh nearby, 161/2c; Western, 161/2c; Southern, 16c.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 15.-Wheat month, 60@60%c; March, 61c bid; May, 634@ 631/2c; steamer No. 2 red, 57c bld; milling wheat by sample, 60/2/611/2c. Corn firm; spot, 411/2/2/415/8c; month, 413/8c bld; March, 411/4/2/ 414c; May, 424c bid; steamer mixed, 404c. Oats firmer; No. 2 white Western, 3542636c; No. 2 mixed Western, 34½c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 50c. Butter firm; fancy creamery, 28c; fancy imitation, 20@22c; fancy ladle, 17@18c; good ladle, 15@16c; store packed, 12@14c. Eggs steady: fresh, 18c; cold storage, 10@ 12c; limed, 10@12c.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15 .- Flour dull. Wheat dull; No. 2 red, 57c; receipts, 1,400 bu; ship-ments, 4,500 bu. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 37%c. Oats hardly steady; No. 2 mixed, 30%@31c. Rye quiet; No. 2, 52c. Pork easy at \$12.50. Lard in fair demand at 7.20c. Bulk meats easier at 6.271/2@6.50c. Bacon firm at 7.75c. Whisky in fair demand; sales, 568 brls, at \$1.15. Butter easier. Sugar in fair demand. Eggs firm and higher at 16c. Cheese easy.

TOLEDO, Feb. 15.—Wheat weak and lower; No. 2 cash and February, 551/4c; May, 581/4c; July, 601/4c. Corn dull and steady; No. 2 cash, 35c; No. 3, 341/4c. Oats quiet; cash, 27c. Rye dull; cash, 50c. Clover seed lower and weak; prime cash, February and March, \$5.55@5.57½; Alcike, \$7.75. Receipts—Flour, 500 brls; wheat, 12,500 bu; corn, 2,000 bu; clover seed, 204 bags. Shipments-Flour, 500 brls; corn, 5,000 bu; clover seed, 634 bags. DETROIT, Feb. 15 .- Market demoralized. Wheat—No. 1 white, 55%c; No. 2 red, cash, 55%c; No. 3 red, 53%c; May, 58%c; July, 60%c. Corn—No. 2, 36%c. Oats—No. 2 white, 31%c; No. 2 mixed, 30c. Rye—No. 2, 48%c. Clover seed, \$5.60. Receipts—Wheat, 12,800 bu; corn, 13,200 bu; oats, 3,100.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Business in dry goods is dull. Mail orders are small and the volume of business is generally restricted to the proportions representing the actual needs of the trade. In the way of American indigo blue prints there has been larger activity as a result of the cut to 4½c. There is a fairly brisk demand for bleached cotton goods, following recent con-cessions in price, with the general market for cotton goods showing irregularity and some weakness. Brown cottons are slow and show a downward tendency. The same is true of print cloths, with 2 13-16c now considered a top price for extras. Prints, printed fabrics, ginghams and woven wash goods generally show inactivity. Dress goods and foreign dry goods show no new features. The jobbing trade is a little bet-

OIL CITY, Feb. 15 .- National Transit certificates opened at 81c; highest, 81c; lowest, 81c; closed at 81c. Sales, 3,000 brls; shipments, 91,261 brls; runs, 86,345 brls. NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Petroleum dull; United closed at 80% bid. Rosin quiet; strained, common to good, \$1.071/2. Turpentine steady at 321/2@33c. PITTSBURG, Feb. 15.-National Transit certificates opened at 81c; closed at 81c; highest, 81c; lowest, 81c.

Cotton. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 15 .- Spot cotton steady. Sales spot, 4,000 bales; to arrive, steady. Sales spot, 4,000 bales; to arrive, 1.250 bales. Low ordinary, 5%c; ordinary, 6%c; good ordinary, 6%c; low middling, 7c; middling, 74c; good middling, 74c; middling fair, 8c; fair, 9 1-16c. Receipts, 3,495 bales; exports to France, 6,188 bales; exports to the continent, 4,438 bales; exports coastwise, 2,850 bales; stock, 299,696 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 15.-Cotton quiet. Free supply. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export, and included 8,500 American. American middling, 44d. WILMINGTON, Feb. 15.-Rosin firm; strained, 90c; good, 95c. Spirits of turpentine-Nothing doing. Tar firm at 95c. Tur-

pentine quiet; hard, \$1.10; soft and virgin, NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Spot cotton mar-ket dull; middling uplands, 7 15-16c; middling gulf, 8 3-16c. Total sales, 243 bales. SAVANNAH, Feb. 15 .- Spirits of turpentine quiet at 30c. Rosin firm at \$1.05.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Pig iron quiet; American, \$11.50@15. Copper dull; lake, 9%c. Lead weaker; domestic, 3.20c. Tin casier; Straits, 19.50c nominal; plates quiet. Spelter easier; domestic, 3.70c. ST. LOUIS, Feb. 15.-Lead lower at 3.02c asked. Spelter weaker at 3.60c. LIVE STOCK.

Cattle Dull and Lower-Hogs Weak and Lower-Sheep Stronger.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 15. - Cattle - R3ceipts, 253; shipments, --. The market was very dull, with sales generally at lower prices than yesterday. A few were

held over for to-morrow. Stockers, 500 to 800 pounds ...... 2.25 g 2.85 Good to choice helfers ..... 3.00 g.i.50 Fair to medium heifers..... 2.25@2.75 Common thin heifers..... 1.50@2.25 Good to choice cows...... 2.75@3.25 Fair to medium cows...... 2.00%2.50 Common old cows..... 1.00@1.75 Bulls, common to medium...... 1.50@2.00 

Hogs-Receipts, 3,500; shipments, 1,800. The quality was fair. The market opened weak and lower and closed firm at the decline, with all sold. Heavy packing and shipping ..... \$5,05@5.20 Mixed ...... 5.00@5.17\2 Light ..... 5.00@5.171/2 Heavy roughs..... 4.00@4.85

Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 350; shipments, - But little doing for want of stock. The market was stronger. Good to choice sheep. \$2.85@3.25 Fair to medium sheep. 2.40@2.75 Bucks, per head...... 2.00@4.00

Elsewhere. NEW YORK, Feb. 15.-Beeves-Receipts, 172 head; no trade. European cable quotes

American steers at 101/2011% per pound dressed weights; refrigerator beef, 8%c per pound. Exports to-day, 3,285 beeves and 20 sheep; to-morrow none. Calves-Receipts. 138. Market weak and lower; veals, poor to choice, \$5.50@5.75 per 100 pounds; barnyard caives, \$2.50@3. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9,680; on sale, 28 cars. Market very dull; sheep barely steady; lambs 1/4c per pound lower; 2,500 head unsold. Sheep, poor to prime, \$2.80@ 3.85 per 100 pounds; lambs, common to fined to unimportant lots, including 50 bris prime crude at 28c; exporters holding off choice, \$4@5.25. Hogs-Receipts, 4,393. Very few on sale; firm at \$5.85@6.25 per 100 pounds. for lower prices; Western and Southern ad-vices weak. Quotations: Prime crude, bar- | CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—The Journal reports:

rels, 28c; off crude, 25@27c; prime crude, Cattle-Receipts, 17,500; shipments, 5,000 loose, 25@27c; prime summer yellow, 33% rather on the down turn. Top native steers, \$5.10; good to choice, \$4.75@4.90; medisteers, \$5.10; good to choice, \$4.75@4.90; medium, \$4.25@4.50; common, \$3.50@4.15; native cows, \$2.70@3.15; canners, \$1.75@2.50; Texans, \$3@3.40.

Hogs-Estimated receipts, 41,000; shipments, 10,000. Natives 15@20c lower. Rough heavy, \$4.50@4.80; packers and mixed, \$4.90 05; prime heavy and butcher weights, \$5.05 65.16; assorted prime tight, \$5.0565.16. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 18,000; shipments, 1,000. The market was steady. Top sheep, \$3@3.75; top lambs, \$4@4.55. EAST LIBERTY, Feb. 15.-Cattle-Receipts, 1,520; shipments, 1,460. The market was slow and a shade lower than yesterday's prices. No cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hogs-Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 2,600. The market closed week; all grades, \$5,400 5.60. Seven cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day. Sheep-Receipts, 2,100; shipments, 1,000. The market was slow and unchanged, but will likely go lower on account of liberal

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 15 .- Cattle-The market was steady; extra shipping, \$3.90@4.10; best butchers, \$3.25@3.50; fair to good butchers, \$2.50@3.10; feeders, \$3@3.25. Hogs-The market was weak and 5@10c lower; choice packing and butchers, \$5.15@ 5.25; fair to good packing, \$5.10@5.15; good to extra light, \$5.05@5.15; roughs, \$4.25@4.50. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts light; market unchanged; good to extra shipping sheep, \$2.50@2.75; fair to good, \$2@2.50; extra lambs,

\$3.25@3.75; fair to good, \$2.75@3.25.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 15. - Cattle-Receipts, 5,500; shipments, 3,800. The market was slow and 10@15c lower. Texas steers, \$2.75@3.35; shipping steers, \$3.25@5; Texas and native cows, \$1.50@3.15; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@3.65; bulls, \$1.90@3. Hogs-Receipts, 9,000; shipments, 1,600. The market was 10c lower. Bulk, \$4.80@4.85; heavies, packers and mixed, \$4.70@4.30; light Yorkers and pigs, \$4.30@4.85. Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; shipments, 1,000. The market was slow and weak. BUFFALO, Feb. 15.-Cattle-Receipts, only a small bunch; outlook uncaverable. Hogs slow; prices lower; good to choice Yorkers, \$5.70@5.85; pigs, \$5.75@5.85; mixed, \$5.70@5.80; rough, \$4.56@5. Sheep slow and lower: fat heavy wethers, \$3.85@4; choice fat ewes, \$3.50@3.75; fair to good mixed, \$2.5003.25; good to choice State lambs, \$4.50@4.75; light to good State lambs, \$3.25@4.40.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 15 .- Cattle-Receipts, 1,-300; shipments, 900. Market quiet; prices generally lower; Texans in too light supply to make quotations. Hogs-Receipts, 5,900; shipments, 1,400. Market active, but 10@15c lower. Sheep-Receipts, 1,100; shipments, 300. Prices steady.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.-Hogs lower at \$4.50@5.25; receipts, 3,400; shipments, 1,200, Cattle easy at \$1.50@4.25; receipts, 300; shipments, 300. Sheep strong at \$1.75@3.50; receipts, 100; shipments, none. Lambs strong at \$3.75@

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